

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 1916**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Davis**

February 16, 2010

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An act to relating to pharmacy.

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AB 1916, as introduced, Davis. Pharmacies: reports.

Existing law, the Pharmacy Law, provides for the licensure and regulation of pharmacies by the California State Board of Pharmacy. Existing law requires any pharmacy that contracts to compound a drug for parenteral therapy for delivery to another pharmacy to report that contractual arrangement to the board.

This bill would declare the intent of the Legislature to require a pharmacy to report to the board when a patient is given a prescription that belongs to another person.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

- 1 SECTION 1. It is the intent of the Legislature to enact
- 2 legislation requiring a pharmacy to report to the California State
- 3 Board of Pharmacy when a patient is given a prescription that
- 4 belongs to another person, in order to determine how to possibly
- 5 decrease the number of mix-ups and thereby save lives.

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